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BLACK HAND SOCIETY FIGMENT OF IMAGINATION

So Far as Rumford Falls is Concerned. The Society Consists of One Member, So Say the Italians and He is in Jail.

Police Say There Are About a Dozen Members.

It is easier to create a scare about anything than to undo the harm caused by it.

It is unjust to attribute to any class of men immoralities, intended crimes, or viciousness of any sort, unless there is abundant proof of the allegations.

Yellow Journalism is exceeded sometimes by very tame sheets when they make wholesale charges against any class of people. It has happened recently that a paper of the latter kind has printed sensational stuff to the effect that Rumford Falls is well nigh over run by a desperate gang of Italians, 65 or more in number. If this story were true it would be warrant for proceedings against the colony at Smith's Crossing.

The CITIZEN manager interviewed several high class Italians regarding the matter and they say there is no Black Hand organization in Rumford; but they admit that Regitana, the man jailed for the Virginia holdup, is a member of such a crowd in New York, but do not think he has any associates that are within the Black Hand circle. The police say that several who have been to the gang have left town. They are of opinion that a few are yet here.

There is, it is true, some fear that there may be demands made upon some of the prosperous Italians, by some of the idle and vicious among the colony; and some of them go armed.

WHO WAS THIS MAN? DID HE DROWN PURPOSELY?

An Unknown Man Dropped From the Toll Bridge Friday Night and Was Drowned in Sight of a Dozen or More Persons.

Friday night at about half past seven, an unknown man deliberately dropped himself from the toll bridge and was drowned. The case is a mysterious one and peculiar in the extreme. The circumstances are as follows:

Miss Grace House's Story.

Miss House, a young woman about 20 years old living in Biddeford, tells the following story:

"Bessie Turner and I were crossing the bridge and saw the man asking queerly, and when we were near enough I spoke to him. He was climbing over the rail from the Dixfield side. I asked him what he was going to do. He replied, 'I am going to drown myself.' As he began to lower himself I caught hold of his coat collar, but could not hold him. He lowered himself down and hung by the iron. I then called to some fellows on the bridge to come and pull him up. They thought the man was fooling and did not try to do anything. Before they could have done anything the man had dropped into the river. I saw the body float down the stream and out of sight. He appeared to be about 21 years old. He did not seem to be drunk. I never saw the man before. Where he went over was about half way between the pier and the Rumford shore."

Bessie Turner's Story.

"I first noticed the man because he was climbing over the rail on to the bridge. He then had off his coat and hat. I asked him what he was doing over there and he said, 'I think it a good place to drown myself.' He then put on his coat and hat and after saying a few things that I do not recall, but nothing of consequence I am sure, he said, 'I am going to do it.' When I said he better not he laughed and began climbing over the rail. Grace caught him by the coat collar, but I told her to let him alone for if he did jump off they would say we pushed him. He then swung down and hung by the iron stringer. We then ran to the Rumford side of the bridge and with the three fellows that were on the bridge looked under it and saw the man drop. He was medium size, wore a black, nice looking suit of clothes and a black felt hat. He had no collar on. His shirt front was clean and he looked well, with the exception of his eyes, which were red and looked as if he had been crying. His teeth were even and white, and I think must have been false. I never saw the man before and he said nothing by which I could guess as to his identity." Miss Turner is a sprightly girl of about 16 years, and told her story of the tragedy easily and well. She lives in Biddeford on the Dixfield road.

S. N. Bailey's Story.

Mr. S. N. Bailey of Biddeford, says: "I saw the body come up down by the

rapids, just this side of the ash dump, and then sink and reappear opposite the clump of trees almost to the dump. I did not see the body again. Mr. Dickinson, who swam to rescue him, was within 30 feet of where I saw the man sink the last time. My view was from the Mexico side of the toll bridge."

O. E. Dickinson's Story.

Mr. O. E. Dickinson of Biddeford, employed at the round house, who, at the risk of his life boldly plunged into the river with all his clothes on and swam out to within a few feet of the spot where the man was last seen, tells his story as follows:

"Accompanied by J. Joyce and E. O. Nichols, I had just crossed the bridge on my way to the circus, when I heard some one yelling for help. Seeing some fellows looking over the side of the bridge, I stepped onto the bank, and could just see the legs of a man dangling beneath the bridge. Before I could get to the bridge he had dropped and we all ran towards the dump, as that was the place where the man could be reached, if at all. When we got there I saw the man hold up his hand and call out for help. I then plunged into the river and swam out, but failed to see him come up, and the current is so strong, and I was so weighted down with clothes that I could not safely remain in the water any longer. In fact had a hard pull to get ashore."

A. E. Coffin also saw the man when he dropped from the bridge. Leon Small and several others dragged the river, and some one has been on the watch most of the time, since the accident, for the body.

The selectmen have not taken any steps to recover the body. No one has been reported missing.

A False Report.

The report that the man was a well known local character is disposed of by the fact that the man mentioned is calling his "three squares" daily at the Grand View Hotel. The additional report that the thing was a hoax, a joke perpetrated by some circus fellow who swam ashore down below, has no cause for existence. Besides the ones above named who saw the man go down for the third time, there are several others, among them being F. E. Woodward.

Possibilities.

The man may have been affected by the heat, and his act have been the result of temporary insanity. He may have been crazed by drink. He may have had a suicidal mania, and put into execution a plan long in contemplation. He may have been trying to show off, and because of the character of the river current and the filth that floats down from the mills, was unable to manage himself after striking the water.

CORPSE OF MAN FOUND FLOATING IN RIVER

Tuesday Morning Near Dixfield, By Section Men. Does Not Correspond at All to Description of the Toll Bridge Suicide.

Tuesday morning about 7 o'clock the section men of the railroad saw the body of a man floating in the river just a little way north of Dixfield.

Coroner Elliott was notified and with Gauthier & Meehan's ambulance went after the body, which had been secured to the bank by a rope.

It was supposed that it was the body of the man who was drowned at the toll bridge, but upon examination it proved to be that of another man.

The features were so swollen and distorted that recognition would have been almost impossible, but the clothing he wore in no way corresponds to the description of the clothes of the man who dropped from the toll bridge.

The corpse was dressed as a workman. He had on an ordinary workman's blouse, colored shirt, pants of denim, blue stockings, white drawers, and shoes in fairly good condition, of cheap material. He had on no collar or neck dress.

In his pocket was a 1907 memorandum book, printed by E. E. Mills,

South Lancaster, Mass., and the only writing in it is the name of "Alphonse Blaise, West Cambridge, Mass." There were a few other marks that look as though meant for "I. W."

The body appears to have been in the water two weeks or more. It was apparently 5 feet 8 inches tall and about 180 pounds weight. There appeared no marks on it to indicate foul play, and coroner Elliott was satisfied that the man came to his death by his own act.

The features and general characteristics indicate a man of negro blood, and the coroner ordered the body buried as that of an unknown negro.

No negro is known to have worked in any of the mills here, and no negro is reported missing.

Judge A. E. Morrison reports that about two weeks ago he saw a negro coming down the Falls road. His description tallies with the appearance of the corpse. He does not recall the kind of clothes the negro had on. Thus instead of clearing one mystery, we have two.

THORNTON PARK, OVER 700 ACRES.

A Private Reservation Near Rumford Falls
May Become a Private Club Park, or a Summer Resort.

In a valley, a sort of cradle between the mountains, but more immediately described as at the foot of Mt. Zircon, lies an area of some seven hundred acres of forest, brook and farm land, that probably possesses more essentials for a private hunting and fishing reservation than is to be found in New England. This land is the joint property of Messrs. F. J. Rolfe and R. J. Virgin of Rumford Falls.

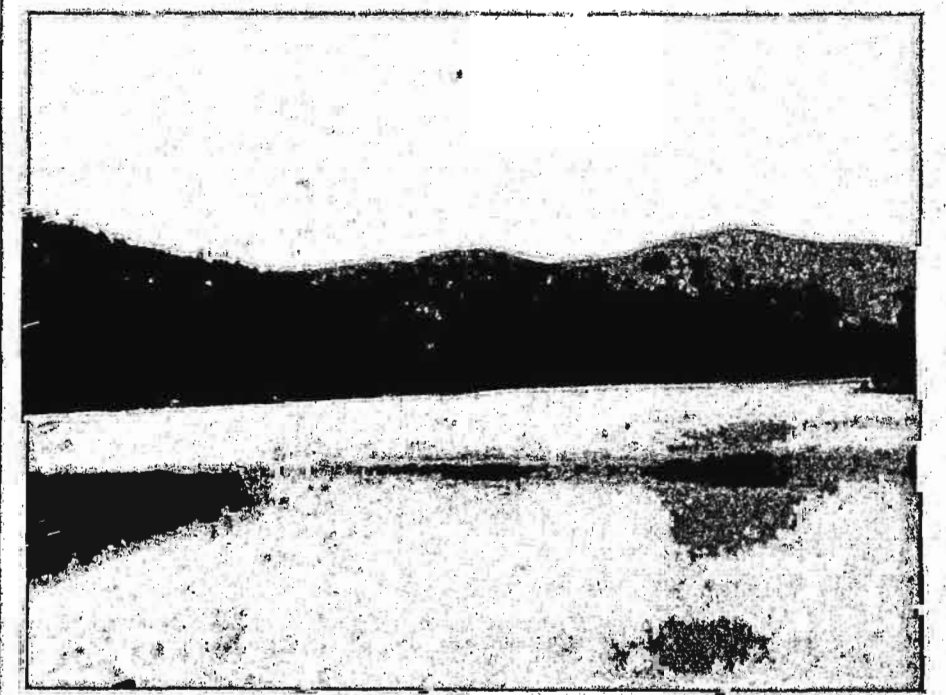
At great expense they have created a trout pond, which has been stocked from the hatchery in Plymouth, Mass. Excepting their desire to have a plentiful supply of trout, there is no need of this. For the trout ponds that flow from the mountains are a natural trout

brooks flow into and through it. The brooks take their rise on land belonging to the estate.

Mr. Rolfe conducted the writer over the place and incidentally showed him how trout jump at a fly. When he cast the line a trout took the fly, and about as fast as he could throw out the line a fish was ready for the hook.

We took a trip through the woods and the pathways were found to wind in and out among the trees in the style that creates, in the minds of poets and nature lovers, all the inspiration and aspirations that life in the wilderness is capable of.

The writer could not help thinking



brooks and would have given the pond a good supply in a few years.

The fish in this pond and the brooks are protected by the laws of Maine, and the whole property is held as strictly private, and Mr. Corrydon Wyman lives on the place, near the pond, to protect the rights of the owners.

The pond covers about 20 acres and seems like, and in effect, is a natural sheet of water. It lies in the basin, through which has flowed, for ages, the two brooks. The banks on either side are natural, but on the east the shore is rising and grove covered, and no more happy situation can be imagined for camping, than there. There is no possibility of the pond ever becoming dry or stagnant for the spring fed

isted to make a private park that would rival any in the world. As we followed along, we suddenly came again to the shore of the lake. Just before that we passed through a clearing that would be a splendid play ground for base ball, tennis or golf, but when arriving at the clearing on the other shore of the pond a far better place was seen, for there was a level plot on the shore, with all the grand surrounding mountain scenery in unobstructed view.

On this property are dense forests where deer and other game live, at present in security, and if persons are inclined toward the recreation of hunting privileges would be superior

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Friday, the 13th

BY THOMAS W. LAWSON
Author of "Frenzied Finance"

Here is the story you have been looking for.

Told in the author's graphic style, we have a striking picture of the methods of Wall Street as Mr. Lawson sees them.

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This serial story will start in the CITIZEN on Thursday, August 1.

WALDO STREET WANTS MORE FIRE PROTECTION.

A Resident Claims that a Fire Alarm Box and Another Hydrant Is Needed.

In a conversation with a prominent resident in the Waldo street section the CITIZEN man was shown the inadequate fire protection afforded that part of the town. The nearest fire alarm box is at the corner of Hancock street and Main avenue. The next is at the corner of Lincoln avenue and Hancock street. He claims that there ought to be an alarm box at the corner of Oxford avenue and Waldo street.

There is a hydrant on the street near the hose house, but he claims that is insufficient. The next nearest is the two line hydrant at the corner of Hancock and Main avenue. Every building in the business section of Waldo street is of wood, and if a fire breaks out there, quick work is essential to the safety of the street. He says a four line hydrant ought

to be placed at the corner of Waldo street and Main avenue.

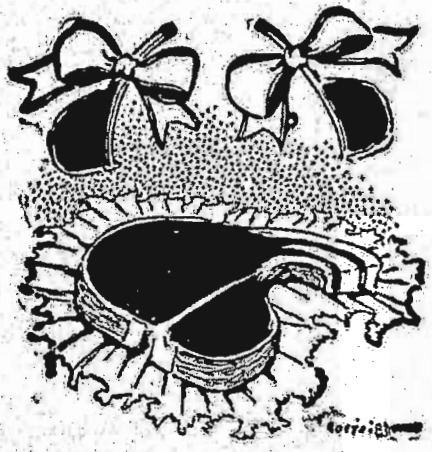
The argument seems quite strong, particularly in reference to the second hydrant, for it is quite a long stretch to run a line of hose from the corner of Hancock street, down Main avenue around the corner onto Waldo street. It is also a long reach from Oxford avenue to Main avenue, and if a big fire was in progress it would be difficult to get sufficient water to do effective work. This resident hopes the apparent neglect will be remedied.

NOTICE TO TEACHERS.

The annual examination of candidates for state teachers' certificates will be held Friday, August 30, 1907, beginning at 8 o'clock a. m. Rumford Falls is one of the places selected for the examination will be given provided a sufficient number of candidates apply.

All persons wishing to take the examination there are requested to write Supt. H. J. Chase at once. The final list of places will be announced about August 15, and notice thereof will be sent to all who have applied previously so that time.

"Friday the 13th," begins Thursday the 1st. Watch for it.



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PROBATE NOTICE.

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court, held at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seven. The following matter having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby ORDERED:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Rumford Citizen newspaper published at Rumford, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the third Tuesday of June, A. D. 1907, at 9 of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Diantha A. Eastman late of Rumford, deceased; petition that Floris H. Bartlett or some other suitable person be appointed as administrator of said estate presented by Lilla A. Russell, daughter.

ADDISON E. HERRICK, Judge of said Court.

A true copy—attest: ALBERT D. PARK, Register.

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NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Sarah M. Sweet late of Mexico in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

THOS. W. PENLEY.

May 21st, 1907.

ANDOVER

The Happenings of the week as Told by Our Correspondent

Ball Game at Hanover. Died, at Hanover July 26th, 1907, the Hanover ball team. Services were conducted on the field by the Andover ball team.

Last Saturday, a corking game of ball was played at Hanover between the Hanover's and the Andover's. Hanover had been looking for blood ever since they were beaten here and had gotten together a new team for the purpose of wiping Andover off the map. However, the wires got crossed and the eraser was in the other hand. About forty of the faithful from Andover attended and were well paid for their trouble. The particular features of the game were Wally Marston's pitching, a double play by Roberts and Newton and the whirlwind (or better, cloudburst) finish in the ninth. At the beginning of the ninth the score stood 3 to 2 in favor of Hanover, but our boys were game and brought in four runs, beating by a score of 6 to 3.

Andover—W. Marston, p.; Roberts, c.; Newton, lb.; Vogt, 2b.; Hanson, 3b.; Milton, ss.; Hall, r. f.; Amber, c. f.; Richards, l. f.

Hanover—G. Cole, (Dyer), p. & 2b.; Russell, c.; Howe, lb.; I. Cole, 2b. & l. f.; Redding, 3b.; Swan, r. f.; Smith, c. f.; Dyer, l. f. & p.; Curtis, ss.

Marston struck out 16 men, Cole 1 and Dyer 3.

Pearl Small said that he would cut his piazza post down if our boys won. However he cut another notch and left the rest for more notches. Frank Thomas and Y. A. Thurston were present in their automobiles.

Last Friday afternoon Mrs. James Noyes met with a very serious accident. Mrs. Noyes, who is a lady of some 70 years, started to go out into the yard when her foot slipped and she fell, causing a compound fracture of both bones of the left leg about 3 inches above the ankle joint, nearly severing the leg. Physicians were called in and recommended her removal to the hospital. On Monday she was taken to the Central Maine General hospital at Lewiston for treatment.

Deputy Grand Chancellor, Byron C. Tuttle, installed the following officers at Cabot Lodge, No. 117, K of P: P. C. A. Milton; V. C. James Robertson; V. C. Lewis Hall; Prelate, Bert F. Hanson; Master at Arms, Chester Learned; Keeper of Records and Seals, Lewis C. Akers; Master of Finance, Luther M. Hower; Master of Exchange, Frank Newton; Inner Guard, Sylvanus Learned; Outer Guard, Will Learned. E. T. Pratt acted as Grand Master at Arms, Fred Smith as Grand Prelate, and Sam Rand as Vice Chancellor. An interesting entertainment was given after the installation, consisting of piano solo, Lucy Grover; song, Edwin Holt; song, Irving Hanson; solo, Florence Talbot. The Pythian Sisters had attended as invited guests. Ice cream and cake were served in the lower hall.

Robert Hewey arrived from the lakes last Tuesday.

Little Miss Margaret Learned received a present of an angora cat from friends in Augusta last week. She has named it Peter Pan.

Married at Lynn, Mass., June 26, 1907, M. Lucinda Marston of Andover and Clifford Bristol of Wintthrop, Mass.

Mr. G. W. Nichols, Superintendent of the fire alarm system of Woburn, Mass., is a guest at Glenellis.

Mrs. F. C. French and family are guests at John French's.

The new motor boat belonging to (Miss) Burgess, Jr., Charles Snell and Harry Thomas, has been launched at Roxbury Pond and is working well.

Miss Loretta Hewey is working at the postoffice, replacing Mrs. Kimball, who was called home on account of her mother's illness.

Mr. Merrill of Lewiston was in town last Wednesday in a Holman automobile.

Mr. A. H. Smith, of the inspection department of the Factory's Mutual Fire Insurance Companies, was a guest at Dr. Leslie's last Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Emma Newton of Westboro, Mass., is visiting Mrs. George Newton. Miss Newton is the daughter of Lambert Newton, one of Andover's original settlers. She has taught in the Lyman school for boys for over 10 years.

Miss Bertha Brooks is visiting Miss Emma Wyman.

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DIXFIELD ITEMS.

The Happenings of the Week as gathered by the Citizen Reporter.

The funeral service of Mrs. Viana Holt, whose death occurred the 16th, was held at her home on Weld street Friday afternoon, Rev. E. W. Webber of Rumford Falls, officiating. Mrs. Holt leaves a husband and three sons, besides many relatives and friends. She was a kind and obliging neighbor, a faithful wife and affectionate mother, and will be greatly missed in the home circle and among her many friends.

Mrs. Mary Greenleaf is the guest of Mrs. Anna Younk at her cottage at Lake Webb. Mrs. Greenleaf returned to her old home last week, from Los Angeles, Cal., where she has been for the past five months, visiting her son, Bostis and wife in their beautiful western home. She visited many places of interest while there.

Mrs. Emily Sawyer of Auburn and two daughters, Mrs. Dr. Bragg of Cambridge, Mass., and Mrs. Arthur Gray of Somerville, Mass., were calling on friends in town last week. They were on their way to their cottage at Lake Webb, where they will remain for several weeks. Dr. Bragg will join them in August. They have a new motor boat which they will enjoy. Mrs. Bragg knowing perfectly well how to manage the same.

Mrs. Richard Kimball and two children from Boston are at her old home for a few weeks, Mrs. Henry Stanley's.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stanley of Boston are guests at J. M. Holland's.

Christina Howard and wife of Portland have been guests of Mrs. Sarah Putnam for a few days, returning home last Wednesday. Mrs. Putnam accompanied them as far as Lewiston.

Mrs. Fiedla Houston and daughter, Myrtle, are at Weld visiting Mrs. Houston's son, Thomas P. Houston.

The sermon by Rev. Frank Pearson at the Free Baptist church Sunday morning was very interesting and helpful. Text from St. John 17:21-23; theme, "The Oneness of Christ."

Mrs. Greenlaw is visiting her daughter at Boothbay Harbor. Her son from Waltham accompanied her.

Mrs. Merrill from Bethel has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Kenerson; her daughter, Marion, returned home with her.

Mr. W. G. Harlow and sister, Gertrude, are at South Harswell for two weeks.

Miss Adelle Dillingham has been the guest of her cousin, Mr. Hinds, at his cottage at Rangeley Lake, the past two weeks.

Miss Ione Harlow returned home Monday of last week from a two weeks' sojourn at South Harswell.

E. W. Murch was in Biddeford and at Old Orchard one day last week.

Mr. M. W. Forster was in Newburyport, Mass., Thursday and Friday of last week on business.

Mr. John Clark has recently moved his family to Rumford Falls.

A food sale will be held at the home of Edna Edmunds Thursday afternoon of this week. Proceeds for the benefit of the Free Baptist society.

Mrs. Ina Skofield and daughter, Ruth, have been delightfully entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Quincy at Rangeley the past two weeks.

Miss Flora Brown of Carthage has been visiting relatives and friends here, and returned home Friday.

Miss Ethel Towle is in Lewiston with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Yetten of Waltham, Mass., and Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Marble of Rumford Point were in town Friday to attend the funeral of their son, Mrs. Viana Holt.

Mr. John T. Eustis of Newton, Mass., was in town last week calling on relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Small spent Sunday with relatives at Bryant's Pond.

Miss Isabel Stowell was in Lewiston Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Frank Davis is visiting relatives at Southport.

Master Myrtle Hutchinson of Livermore Falls is with his aunt, Mrs. W. E. Putnam, for a few weeks.

Mrs. Frank Knox and Mrs. Willis Painter were at Lake Webb for a few days last week. While there they employed a guide to take them over the fishing ground, and both had good success, catching several pickerel and black bass.

Mrs. Lovena Rand of Dexter, Me., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Hannan Holman and other relatives.

The Russell family are nicely settled in their new home on Weld street.

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THURSDAY, JULY 25, 1907.

The King of Sweden is said to be anxious to call back the thousands of Swedish sons who have come to this country. His majesty would find it an uphill job to induce Maine's Swedish colony in Aroostook county to answer his call, don't you think?—Argus.

How about the king of Italy?

The San Francisco Merchants' Association have formally resolved that they do not favor any immigration law which will discriminate in any way against the Japanese in this country. Apparently public sentiment in San Francisco is not as solidly anti-Japanese as it is given out to be.—Argus.

The Portland Press comments editorially upon the report that the bones of Pocahontas have been found in England. The Press does not characterize the "find" as a fake, although it suggests that it is a peculiar coincidence that such a "find" should occur in the midst of the tercentennial of the settlement of Jamestown, in which vicinity John Smith and Pocahontas won undying fame.

A systematic effort to curb the business of the large mail order houses in Chicago, and other large cities is being made. The home trade league of America, with headquarters in Chicago, proposes to make an organized fight for home trading. We do not know just what methods they will pursue. As it is a life or death struggle with many local dealers in towns throughout the country, they should receive encouragement.

The initiative and referendum is objected to by some on the plausible ground that the people can not be trusted to properly analyze great governmental questions in a short popular discussion, and in consequence bad legislation would result. Legislators have now and again made grave errors of judgment, with lots of time and wise counsel at their command. It is often suspected that their votes have been influenced by love or ill will. The people probably would make mistakes, but it is doubtful if they would be more serious than those made by legislators. There is one thing sure and that is, the whole electorate of the state can not be purchased at one time. If the people can not be trusted to intelligently and beneficially enact laws and direct the administration of their affairs, the quicker we find it out and establish a guardianship government, the better.

"I look to see President Roosevelt take a broader and wiser, and what in the end will be the more popular view, and while I have had no late consultation with him, I take it that the last thing he should desire is that any act under his Administration should bring on war with Japan or any other power or should add to the danger of such a conflict."—Senator Eugene Hale.

There are incidents in Senator Hale's political career when we have doubted his disinterestedness and statesmanship; but in this matter, as well as in other war scare events, he proves that he has the good Maine common sense that says "Never provoke a fight." Individual troubles in Yankee land are settled at law; national troubles should be settled by arbitration, but we have a few jingo statesmen who do not find any glory in peace, or the peaceful settlement of disputes, and they are a menace to the welfare of the country and mankind. Senator Hale has our hearty approval in this matter.

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Rockefeller as a Socialist. The most noteworthy embodiment of socialism in this generation is not Mr. Debs but Mr. Rockefeller. Socialism is a corporation, limited. It is out for "We, Us & Company" and for our rights—to the devil with our duties. A woman speaker among the Bowers socialists remarked last Sunday that Rockefeller might have been a socialist had he started right. That is hardly true. He is a socialist because he started wrong.—Lewiston Journal.

ROCKEFELLER AS A SOCIALIST.

Poor old man Rockefeller, who, so far as the economic and political principles are concerned, knows next to nothing of socialism, has according to the Bowers socialist and the Journal, operated his business upon socialist principles. It may be that Rockefeller is an unintentional exemplifier of a great political as well as economic truth.

SCHMITZ NOT A SOCIALIST. George Allen England of Bryant's Pond contributed an article to the Lewiston Journal last Friday in which he throws much needed light upon the career and political affiliations of the criminal mayor Schmitz of San Francisco. It has been generally understood that Schmitz was elected by the Socialists, but it appears that he was the personal candidate of Abraham Ruef, who broke away from the Republican party when he found he could not control its nominations.

He brought forward Eugene Schmitz, an orchestra musician, and by adroit manipulation got him elected as an Independent. He was twice reelected. At first he carried out reform measures, but soon got corrupted, and began to graft.

According to Mr. England, who seems to know what he is writing about, Schmitz is not a Socialist, and was not supported by the Socialist party.

THE ATHLETIC CLUB.

The publication in the CITIZEN last week of the proposal to organize a club at Rumford Falls and eventually build a club house, occasioned a great amount of interest. The plan as briefly outlined met with hearty approval among our leading citizens.

There is no place, of its size in

Maine, so lacking in means of social entertainment, as Rumford Falls. There is not a single place in the town where young men can assemble for social games of any sort, excepting privately conducted places or an exclusive club for men. The scope of this proposed club is so broad that it will be an institution for public use and benefit. Membership will be denied no respectable man or woman. One excellent feature is the plan for the entertainment of women. They will have the same privileges as men. In the winter such a club house would be greatly appreciated and largely patronized.

We believe such a club would be of great moral benefit to the community, and bespeak for it the encouragement of all our citizens.

With a membership of 500, a ten thousand dollar building could easily be built, equipped and maintained, and we hope to see interest enough taken to insure such a building.

THORNTON PARK.

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to any in the state. The tract includes what in colonial or early state days was known as the Milton Academy grant, and was a part of Milton Plantation. Later it was sold to Messrs. Merrill and Stacy for the taxes. It became a part of Perce, and in 1895 was made a part of Rumford. In years past several farms were cultivated within this tract, now known as Thornton Park.

Looking to the north from the rising ground, we saw looming up the grand, blue enveloped mountains of the great White range in New Hampshire, and at the south rises, between two projecting hills, old Mt. Zion, whose sides are covered with dense forests, and whose top is as bald as the heads of the eagles that nest upon its heights. A grand view of mountain scenery it would be hard to find in America.

The picture accompanying this sketch shows the lake and the hills to the south, with Zion towering in the center. From a point to the west of the pond, the view of the mountain is rather better than from the lake shore, as shown in the cut. There the symmetrical rising of the land and the regularity of the slope from the side hills to the valley remind one of the rhythmic rise and fall of ocean billows.

This vast wilderness, unapproachable from the Mt. Zion or Milton side, is only four or five miles from Rumford Falls. A road to the Falls could be built that would shorten the distance by a mile and a half.

It is understood that some parties from New York are desirous of acquiring the reservation for a club, but Messrs. Kelle and Virgin have not given the sale of the property any consideration as yet. Rumford would be better served if the place could be converted into a summer resort, with several summer hotels on the place. Yet for all that, it seems better suited for a private reservation.

FOOT BADLY CUT.

Albion Russell, the eight year old son of G. T. Russell, residing at 107 Washington street, cut his foot on a broken glass tumbler last Friday morning, making a serious wound.

The little fellow was playing in the neighborhood of his home barefooted, and stepped on the broken glass, cutting the instep deeply and great gashes on both sides. Twenty stitches were necessary to close the wound.

The broken tumbler was shaped just right to fit his little foot. The manner of the break left the edges as sharp as a knife, causing the cut to be very deep. Great caution should be used in disposing of broken glass. It should never be thrown on the ground.

ZALNIERAITIS AND HAZEL SETTLE.

John Zalnieraitis, the president of the Palander club, whose search and seizure case was up for settlement last Thursday, paid a fine of \$100 and costs of \$24.00.

Indecent Michael Hazel, who was lately concerned with Zalnieraitis in the management of the club, but who has been missing for several days, surrendered himself to officers Frank Frick and Judge Stearns last evening on payment of \$100 fine and costs of \$24.00.

"Friday the 13th," begins Thursday the 1st. Watch for it.

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CITIZEN SIGHTSEER.

Goes to the Circus.—Gets into the Side Show, and is Asked to Act as a Chaplain for a Crowd of Young Men During Their Stay in the Inner Side Show.—Finds He Has no Music in His Soul.

The sightseer took in the circus, and cannot conscientiously obey the impulse to turn a joke by saying that the circus took him in. The circus—Robbins circus—was a good one, and every one of the several thousands that visited the great tent got their money's worth of entertainment.

The modern circus introduces tumbling, trapeze, tight rope, slack wire and other similar features to the exclusion of some of the old and time honored performances. A pleasing feature of this show was the trick and fancy bicycle riding.

The side show that has always been an accompaniment of the circus is probably responsible for the "bumbug" idea that clings so affectionately to the circus. This arises not so much from the idea that people do not get their money's worth in the side show, as from the failure of the real thing to come up to the impression created by the great canvas pictures.

The most remarkable features of this side show was the woman who could release her hands from handcuffs as easily as the twisters could be put on. Police officer Violette was the most surprised man in the crowd when he saw the woman pass him back the twisters that he looked to her wrists. They were his own cuffs, and he supposed he would have the satisfaction of taking them off. Several hours later he had not recovered from his surprise. When he again tries to catch a woman he will use some less strenuous, but more persuasive means.

The scribe was about to leave the tent when several young men about town solicited him to remain and accompany them to the inner side show. They inquired the sightseer learned that a little round piece of silver with the inscription "One Dime" stamped on it was the passport to the inner or by show. The boys explained that the presence of so stand and unimpressed a man would be a sort of protection to the crowd. From all he could learn the scribe concluded that the boys were right in desiring protection, but all wrong in their desire to pass in to the midway. The sightseer's willingness to protect and to remain the evening, as well as his wish to see and know all that is going on, induced him to remain and leave the tent. A big crowd possessed the pass and in the midst of them was the group of young men struggling for admission. The scribe does not mingle in crowds so when the fellows saw him in the rear they called out for him so loudly that the two policemen, on guard, thought the sightseer needed assistance in getting into the show, and placing themselves, one on either side of him, escorted him in with as much solemnity as if the occasion had been a temperance mass meeting.

There was not a woman in the crowd; but there were about 200 men there when the manager shouted, "Let the dance go on." At that instant a loud burst of music smote the ear, and a good appearing girl, who should not have been allowed out side of her dressing room, dropped on to the stage from somewhere. She began to go through motions to the music, that were described as dancing. The dance is said to be of oriental origin, but wherever it originated it is almost unthinkable that it should be imitated in virtuous New England.

The young fellows quit the scribe after getting into the place and left him in the rear with the policemen. The sightseer saw all of the dance he cared to at the completion of the first number, and quit out.

Later in the evening he saw some of the boys who assured him that it was a lack of music on the scroll that caused the scribe's lack of appreciation of the dance. That may be so but the sightseer seriously questions the fitness of the performance. If a scroll full of music is all that the scribe lacks to enable him to appreciate that exhibition, for once he is contented to be passed among the dregs.

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PHILIP ASH, STABLEMAN.

In the march of progress, improvements in stable clinics are numerous. Philip Ash recognized the need in requirements when erecting his stable on Waldo street, and has a livery and boarding stable where the sanitary methods of caring for horses are observed.

Philip Ash was formerly of New Bedford, Mass., and came to Rumford Falls fourteen years ago, and has been in the livery and boarding stable business ever since.

He is a good horseman, having had many years experience in high class private stables. His horses all show the result of good breeding and care.

The new stable is about 100 feet long and 35 feet wide. There are eighteen single and two box stalls. There is a basement where stable refuse is thrown, which has a capacity for 1,000 cords of dressing. This is open so that plenty of air circulates and no foul odors arise from it.

There are two halls over the stable, finished in fine style, which are both occupied by social clubs.

Mr. Ash has the bay stallion "Junior," and he is a fine looking and gentle horse of the best trotting blood. Mr. Ash takes pride in having well behaved horses and as before mentioned in the CITIZEN, has one mare "Bessie," an well trained that she can answer questions, and perform exceptional exercises when so directed.

The stable is one of the finest and best kept we have ever seen. It was built for and is owned by Mr. Ash. He first occupied it this spring.

Mr. Ash deals fairly with his patrons and exercises restraint in his livery charges and intends to give his customers their money's worth.

The horses that he breeds are all well kept and their owners appreciate the fact, and are willing to pay the price for the extra good care.

Mr. Ash also breeds and has recently handled some valuable animals. He also has some valuable real estate, and is now advertising a very good bargain in Hallowville.

HORSE RAN AWAY.

A team belonging to Jonathan Brown made a wild dash into Congress street from Harrison, Saturday afternoon, and for a moment it looked as though a general smash up was inevitable. J. H. Hasset and family had the narrow escape, but several others, in teams and about, barely escaped being run into or over. The horse was brought to a stop by the efforts of officers Violette and Brooks. The driver showed up a few minutes later and jumped on to the wagon and drove off without so much as an inquiry as to the way the horse was caught, or a thank you to the officers.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Fred Foley visited friends in town last week.

John Boderick has gone to Canada for a two weeks' vacation.

S. J. Gonyea returned Friday from a business trip to Boston.

Mark Elliott and wife of Rumford spent Sunday at Hanover.

W. B. Bart has been giving F. F. Bartlett's store a new coat of paint.

Miss Angie Abbott is spending a two weeks' vacation at her home in Bethel.

R. H. Bowley of Boston spent several days at Rumford Falls this week.

Miss Wynifred Gordon is boarding with Mrs. William Cyr of Knox street.

Miss Beatrice Holman is spending a week's vacation at her home in Saco.

Margretta, the little five-year-old daughter of Joseph McDonald, is quite

Misses La Crosse and King of Bangor are employed in the E. K. Day store.

Arthur Edgecombe of Portland was guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Davis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rowe of Lewiston were Sunday of their daughter, Mrs. O. Downs.

Mr. E. Goding and wife and Dr. P. Bartlett and wife enjoyed a drive together Sunday.

Rev. Dr. Lucian Robinson of Philadelphia visited his uncle, Nahum Moore Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nahum Moore are this week visiting Mr. Moore's sister, Mrs. O. Downs of South Paris.

Miss Helen Wade went Saturday to her home in Portland, where she will spend a week's vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cyr went Sunday to Lewiston, where they will spend two weeks visiting relatives.

E. J. Roderick and wife have returned from a two weeks' vacation spent in Farmington and vicinity.

Miss Marie Langis, who has been visiting her sister, Marion Langis, returned Saturday to her home in Berlin.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Williamson and Mrs. Williamson's aunt, of Kansas City, Mo., took an automobile trip to Glen last week.

LeRoy Hutchinson of Bath, Me., called on friends in town Saturday and visited his sister, Mrs. Ezra Morton of Rumford Center.

The prizes at the box ball alleys last week were won by H. C. Ellis, score 153; Charles McCray, score 150; W. O. Rogers, score 147.

Mrs. Walter Rolfe is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Wentworth of Nashua, N. H., and will accompany them on a trip to Nova Scotia.

Mrs. Thomas Penley of Roxbury spent Saturday to Portland and will spend two weeks at Peak's Island and other resorts.

Mrs. J. E. Stephens and daughters, Laura and Elizabeth, returned Tuesday from camp at Rangely Lake, after spending several days in town.

E. Martin of Andover and Turner of North Ramford were among the large number of people from out of town who attended the circus.

Miss Marion Langis went Tuesday to Boston where she will spend two weeks with her sister, Mrs. Danforth, and then go to her home in Berlin for a week.

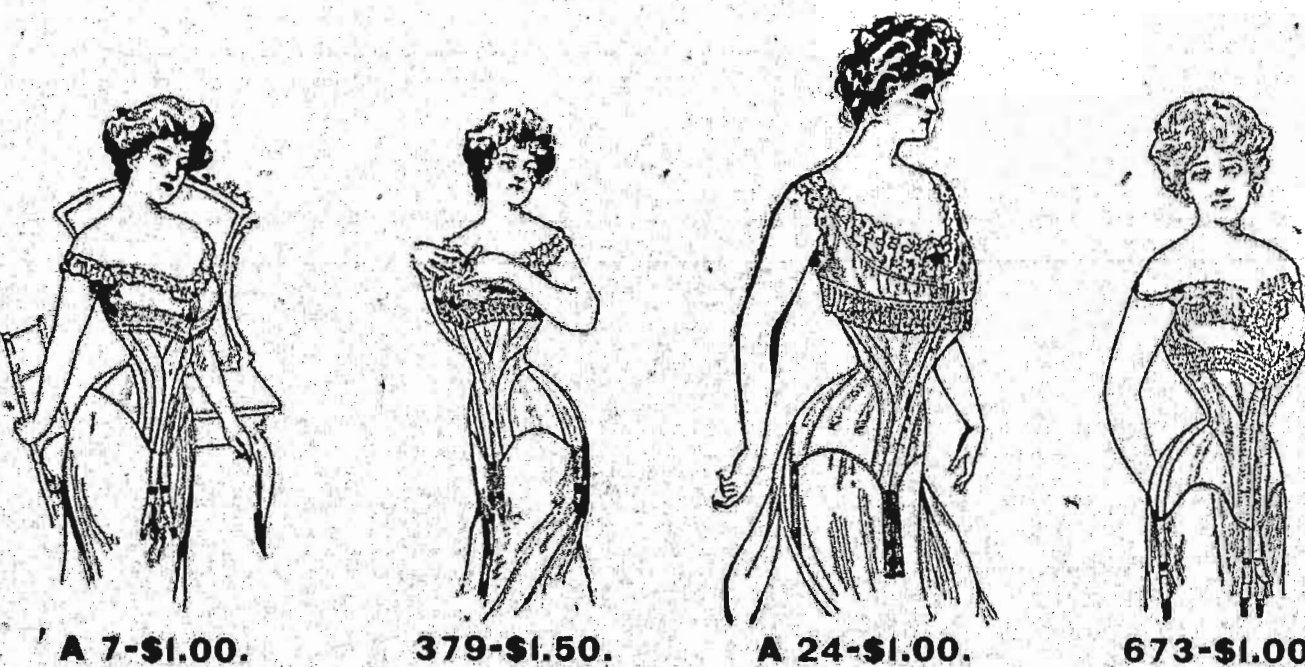
Good judges of hay say that J. F. Hall has the stoutest field of first class hay that has been seen for years in the vicinity. The crop will average 3 or 4 tons to the acre.

Miss Clara J. Hall, accompanied by her niece, Miss Alice Hall, who has been visiting relatives in town, went Saturday to her home in Damariscotta for a week's vacation.

Arthur Gauthier returned Saturday from a visit in Philadelphia and Bangor. Miss Jennie Gauthier is visiting friends in Lawrence and Salem before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Cornell, Mrs. Annie Brainard and John Cornell spent Sunday at Roxbury Pond. Mrs. Brainard returned Monday to her home in Lynn, Mass., after a very pleasant visit of several weeks.

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EVERETT K. DAY CO.

Miss Lena Felt spent Sunday at her home in Bryant's Pond.

Miss Bessie Bell has returned to Groveton, N. H., after spending several weeks with her father.

The Ladies' Working Band of the Baptist church were entertained Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. Leon Haines.

Miss Mary Leatham, who has been visiting Mrs. James Demeritt, has returned to her home in Nashua, N. H.

F. J. Rigby is spending two weeks at his home in Belfast, where Mrs. Rigby is staying during the summer months.

Mrs. E. P. Goodwin, accompanied by Mrs. Hutchinson of Canton, who was her guest over Sunday, went Monday to Canton for a visit of a few days.

A baptism was held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in Swift river, Rev. E. W. Howes baptizing three members, Mr. and Mrs. Wing and Mrs. Kershaw.

Mrs. H. P. Borden, who went to Rhode Island to get the benefit of salt water and air in hopes to recover her health, is reported as being more ill than before going there.

Harry O. Davis, who has been boss piper at the International Paper Co.'s mill during the past fifteen years, has resigned his position, to take effect Saturday, July 27th.

A pleasing feature of the services last Sunday morning at the Baptist church was Miss Russell's solo, "Our Heavenly Father," and a duet, "Abide With Me," sung by Miss Russell and Miss Flagg.

William Edevean, traveling conductor and R. A. Lombard, traveling engineer for the M. C. R. Co., were in town last week. Mr. Edevean met several old time friends here, and was royally entertained by them.

Next Sunday the Universalist church will hold its closing service until the first Sunday in September. The evening service will be held at 8:30 p. m. in the church parlors under the auspices of the Y. P. C. U. There will be no later service. Mrs. Wynifred Staples Smith will assist the choir at both the morning and evening services.

Henry Keeman left Tuesday for a business trip to Quebec.

Miss Louise Kidder is spending the week at her home in Hale.

Mrs. Ralph Lewis of Madison is the guest of Mrs. John Neal.

Frank Richmond of Portland was in town on business this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Pratt returned Saturday from a visit in Turner.

Rev. E. W. Webber will attend the Field Day exercises at Livermore Falls Friday.

Mrs. R. M. Woodsum and son, Ralph, went Friday to their camp at Worthy Pond.

Rev. and Mrs. Henry Dix and son of Arlington Heights, Mass., are guests of H. O. Burditt.

Charles Israelson has returned from Michigan, where he has been spending several weeks.

Miss Tina Graham is spending a vacation of several weeks at her home in Enfield, Me.

Miss Mabel Holt of Marlborough, N. H., is this week the guest of Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Webber.

John Neal and family will occupy the house on Somerset street recently vacated by Major Shook.

Rev. E. W. Webber was called last Friday to Dixfield to attend the funeral of Mrs. George H. Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Boynton of Lewiston were guests of their daughter, Mrs. Ralph Leatham, over Sunday.

H. W. Rich is spending a vacation of several weeks in Vermont, where he will visit his old home in Guild hall and other places.

The funeral services of Mrs. Fannie Horton, wife of William H. Horton, were held Wednesday, July 17th, from her late home. Services were conducted by Rev. H. J. Hanson of the Baptist church. The remains were taken to Berlin, N. H., for burial, where her three sons, George, James and John reside. Her only daughter, Mrs. Frank Wood, is a resident of Belfast, Me.

Mrs. Fred E. Dunham and son, Fredrick, returned Monday from camp Dunwood, Worthy Pond, where they have been spending the week.

Veo Small is considerably improved in health and is spending the week with his grandparents in Kingfield, and will go to Upper Dam for the month of August.

A business meeting of the Y. P. C. U. was held Thursday evening at the home of the president, Mrs. Wm. P. Hutchins, and plans were made for the future of the union.

There will be a union meeting Sunday evening at 7:15 at the Baptist church, conducted under the auspices of the Anti-Saloon League. The speakers will be Rev. R. O. Everhart and Rev. C. E. Owen.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Clifford entertained a party of friends Sunday at dinner at their home on Roxbury avenue. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Parsons, Miss Edith Allen Vandenberg, Miss Alice Bennett and Harry O. Davis.

Monday evening, July 20, an ice cream sale and entertainment will be held in the Baptist chapel; the proceeds will be used as a birthday gift to Mrs. F. A. Perkins, who has been of invaluable assistance in the music of the church.

Mrs. C. R. Reed, who has been spending several weeks at her home in Malden, Mass., has returned to spend the month of August with Mr. Reed in Rumford Falls before going to Marlborough, Mass., where Mr. Reed will teach next fall.

Philip L. Pottle, who has been spending several weeks visiting friends in town and vicinity, has returned to Windsor Mills, P. Q. Mr. Pottle with his sister, Miss Mary Pottle of Lewiston and Miss Nellie Burgess of Rumford Center have lately been guests of H. L. Plummer at Indian Rest.

We have been requested to print the names of all those men who were in attendance at the second side show circus day and evening; but we have declined on the grounds that we are not in the directory publishing business.

Mrs. Jones and daughter, Miss Lucy Jones, have returned from Turner, where they have been spending several weeks at their cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Leatham will occupy the lower rent in George Pettengill's new house on Penobscot street as soon as it is completed.

Patrick Carosi has the distinction of being the only man in Rumford Falls who ever made a watermelon worth \$5.00 to him. On a bet, he, one day last week, ate a watermelon at one sitting, thereby winning \$5.00.

Rev. G. A. Martin left Monday for a vacation of a few weeks, a part of which he will spend at his home in Guilford, where Mrs. Martin and their two children have been for a couple of weeks. During Mr. Martin's absence the pulpit of the Methodist church will be supplied; Sunday, July 25th, a representative of the Anti-Saloon League, Rev. R. O. Everhart, will speak; services Aug. 4th will be conducted by Rev. G. B. Hannaford, and Presiding Elder Parsons will speak Sunday, Aug. 11th.

ALL QUIET.

Last Friday was the quietest circus day that Rumford Falls ever experienced. There was no drunkenness, and not a single arrest was made. Saturday morning there was but one case before the court, and that was not connected with the circus.

Negrini Gissuette caused the arrest of his brother-in-law, Louis Gaglielma, charging him with assault. The evidence disclosed that it was a family row, and as the victim was but little hurt, Judge Stearns only imposed a fine of \$1.00 upon the respondent.

I. W. GREEN APPOINTED.

The Somerset county court has appointed Mr. I. W. Green of Rumford Falls on the commission to survey and determine the value of land holdings in the two townships of Jackman and Dennis. His associates on the commission are Turner Buswell of Solon, and Forest Colby of Bingham. They will begin their work September first. They expect to be two months completing it. In addition to these townships there is a section called "Little W," that is also to be surveyed, and value of the different holdings decided upon, for the benefit of the owners, who cannot agree.

Mr. Green has been several times before appointed on similar commissions, and has shown his fitness for the work in a singularly able manner. The towns are situated between Moosehead Lake and the New Hampshire line.

OUTING OF THE RED MEN.

The Soudabecook Tribe of Red Men have planned an outing for the last week in August. They will go into camp on lake Sebasticook near Newport which will be controlled absolutely by the "Indians." At various points in the woods fires will be kindled and the ceremonies of initiation will be carried on by the degree team in savage costume. The new degree is known as the Midewiway degree and this degree will probably become a regular feature with the Red Men of Maine.

HEAT MADE HIM INSANE.

The heat was so intense Friday and Saturday that many were affected, but only one serious case came to public notice. A man in the bag mill was affected in a peculiar manner. His mind was temporarily unbalanced and he suffered from hallucinations, which he shouted out to the people in a loud voice. He was confined in a cell at the police station some time before the cause of his trouble was discovered. He was removed to his home and given medical treatment.

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BETHEL.

Mrs. L. C. Bates was in Lewiston Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Young were in Gorham Sunday.

Miss L. M. Stearns has been spending a week in Norway.

Mrs. Witham of Denmark is visiting relatives in town.

Mr. Virgil Wilson returned to his home in Boston, Sunday.

Mrs. Morse of Bath has been the guest of Mrs. Agnes Ames.

Miss Doris Davis went to South Paris Monday to visit relatives.

Mrs. W. H. Young visited Mrs. C. E. Arno in Gorham, N. H., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Schada of Boston are spending a few weeks in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Loring Glimes of Boston have been visiting relatives in town.

Miss Lulu Arno is enjoying a two weeks' vacation from her work at the News office.

Miss Bessie Stanley of Portland has been spending a week's vacation at her home here.

Mrs. Ellingwood of West Paris has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Flora Richardson.

The Universalist Circle will meet with Mrs. F. L. Edwards Wednesday at the usual time.

Mrs. Annie Murdoch of Cambridge, Mass., is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. H. M. Farwell.

Mrs. W. H. Young is entertaining her cousin, Miss Edith M. Farrington of Brocton, Mass.

Mr. Philip M. Libby of Portland is spending a few weeks with his friend, Everett Winslow.

Mrs. Ernest Pratt and children are visiting Mrs. Pratt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Grover.

Mrs. C. O. Foster and son, Wilfred, went to Boston Tuesday to spend a few weeks with Mr. Foster.

Mrs. George McDowell and two children of Portland are spending the summer months in town.

Mrs. John Holt, who has been visiting relatives and friends in North Anson, has returned home.

Mrs. Charles Harris of Chelsea, Mass., is spending the summer at her old home on Broad street.

Mrs. A. H. Lary of New Jersey, who is spending the summer in Glenad, spent Monday with Mrs. Alice Farwell.

Mr. William Totten of Portland visited his sister, Mrs. Annie Holber last week, while on his way to Illinois.

Miss Loran Littlehale of the Advertiser office, Norway, came to Bethel Monday, returning to Norway Tuesday morning.

Mrs. John McGeech and Miss Mary McGeech of Arctic, R. I., are visiting Mrs. McGeech's daughter, Mrs. Edwin Barker.

Mrs. Tobias Lord entertained a party of twelve at Screw Auger Falls Sunday. A dainty picnic dinner was served.

Mrs. Alice Allen of South Paris, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Erian Dutton, returned to her home Monday.

Mrs. Emily Philbrook and Mrs. Edward King and sons, Edward and Theodore, are visiting at Mr. Harvey Philbrook's in Greene.

Miss Maud Chute came to Bethel Monday to attend the wedding of Miss Ethel Sanborn and Mr. Harry Brooks, which will occur today.

Empire Grove Camp meeting at East Poland, Me., commences Thursday evening, Aug. 15, and closes Monday, Aug. 25. A very interesting program has been arranged. The presiding elder, Rev. C. F. Parsons, will have charge of the services with Rev. C. A. Brooks as assistant superintendent.

Miss Eva Twaddle was in Lewiston last Thursday.

Mrs. H. N. Upton, who has been in Portland visiting friends and relatives, returned home Monday.

Miss Marguerite Young spent a week in Greenwood with her uncle recently.

Mr. A. M. Mason of Boston spent Sunday with his family in Bethel.

Mr. J. N. Hodson has gone to Frye, Me., to stay with his son.

Mr. W. F. Elderedge of Rockport, Mass., is spending a few weeks in Bethel.

C. B. Foster of Everett, Mass., has arrived at North Bethel for the summer.

Miss Mildred Flint of Portland is in Bethel for a few weeks visiting relatives.

NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Dinahs A. Eastman, late of Rumford, in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

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Tears, Holding things too far away.
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INATION.**

MEXICO AND MIDLONVILLE.

The Week's News as Gathered by our Special Correspondent.

Mrs. Emily Tucker of Boston and
Miss Millie Beverly of Ayer, Mass.,
have been staying with Mrs. W. N.
Hodgson for a few days and have
gone to Carthage to visit a brother.
Mrs. F. J. Grant is spending a few
days in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Keyo and brother and
sister, Mr. and Mrs. Snow, are spend-
ing a week at Taylor's camp, Moose-
lookmegantic. From there they will
visit in Andover and the Keyos in-
tend to remain until September.

Mrs. Scott Dorr has been entertain-
ing her sister, Mrs. Philbrick of Dix-
field Center this week.
Wm. Wagner has completed the
foundation for the addition which he
is going to build.

Frank Bennett, formerly of this
place, but living in Gorham for some
time, has moved back here.

William Goodwin and wife, A. E.
Davis and family have gone to Harps-
well for a few weeks, where they have
hired a cottage.

Virgil Whitman has been out of
town a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson and
friends of Phillips are visiting Mr. and
Mrs. Vandenberg for a few days.

Miss Louise Foster has been ill for a
few days and unable to attend to her
duties at Mr. Woodward's store.

Mrs. Emily Mendall and great grand-
son, Freddie Bennett, are spending a
few days at Mrs. Frank Proctor's in
the Park.

Quite an excitement was caused last
Friday evening on the toll bridge be-
tween seven and eight o'clock by a
man jumping into the river. Whether
he did so with the intention of suicide
or an act of bravado is not known, but
in the first place he climbed over the
railing of the bridge and hung down
over the water. Several men shouted
to him and tried to reach him but he
crawled under the bridge and either
lost his hold or threw himself into the
river at a point where the current is
very strong. Mr. O. E. Dickenson, a
boarder at the Packard block, saw him
and not stopping to remove either hat
or coat, dived after him, but his at-
tempt to save his life was not success-
ful and he went down for the last time.
All day Saturday men were
searching for him, but could find no
one. It is not known who the man was
and up to Saturday night no one has
been reported as missing.

Mrs. McIntosh of Lisbon Falls is
visiting her sister, Mrs. May Bazzell.
May Burns started Sunday for a
week's vacation to the lakes.
Mrs. Rachael Wentworth fell on the
stairs at the Oxford Mill last week and
badly sprained her ankle.
Fred Emery is spending a few days
in Portland, Lewiston and Bath on
business. Mr. Emery is to occupy the
Singer store which will be cleaned up
this week and be ready for occupancy
soon.

Mrs. W. S. Crommett went Wednes-
day to her old home in Byron for a
few weeks, and intends to visit the
lakes before her return.

A nine pound boy was born to the
wife of Mrs. J. Lang last week.
Mr. A. J. Lang has been very ill
for the last two weeks and is slowly
recovering.

Arthur Packard and family are visit-
ing in Portland and Lewiston for two
weeks.
Mrs. Stuart of Dixfield was in town
one day last week calling on friends.

Mrs. Wallace Hutchinson of Galloway
called on old friends here Satur-
day afternoon. The ladies presented
her with a silver souvenir spoon and
a meat fork, and the afternoon was
pleasantly spent in a social way. Be-

South Paris.
Mrs. Gus Mitchell of East Bethel and
daughter, Alice, were in town Saturday.
Mr. T. C. Chaffee has engaged the
upper rent in Mr. Austin's new house,
to occupy when school begins.

Victor Blanford is suffering with
another severe attack of rheumatism
and is obliged to use crutches to get
about.

John Clark of Dixfield has moved in-
to one of the Marsh houses.

Mr. W. W. Gammon of Dixfield
spent a few days last week with his
son, Percy Gammon.

Mrs. O. E. Whitney has gone to Weld
Ford for two weeks.

Mrs. Herbert Wakefield and daugh-
ter of Bath, who have been visiting her
sister, Miss Smart, and her husband's
parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Wakefield,
have returned home.

Miss Mildred Westcott returned with
her aunt, Mrs. Hiram Pales to Augusta,
and will visit in Bangor before her re-
turn.

Mrs. John Todd of Whitman street
is the proud possessor of a young
son. Mrs. George Childs is caring for
her.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Harris will com-
mence housekeeping in Mrs. Abbott's
house on Main street.

Mrs. Frank Herriek and son have
gone to Mechanic Falls for a few days.
George Harrington has a ten pound
daughter.

Our very popular milkman, Mr.
Clark Fellows, has greatly enlarged his
milk route this last week by purchas-
ing the milk business of Wm. Knowl-
ton. Mr. Fellows started in three
years ago with only 80 quarts per day,
and increased his route to over 150
quarts per day. Now by his last pur-
chase he sells on an average of 350
quarts per day. He is assisted by
Clarence Oldham.

Although only a small number were
present Saturday evening at the
Grange meeting, a very enjoyable
evening was spent. A committee on
Children's Day was appointed, also a
committee for Grange Field Day at the
white schoolhouse, to be held in Au-
gust. A paper was read by Dr. Bin-
ford, one by Brother Thomas, a recita-
tion by Mary Taylor, reading by Ger-
trude Gleason, besides speeches from
several members. One visitor, Mr.
Ernest Holbrook of Mechanic Falls was
present.

Misses Iva and Ariana Russell have
been visiting their aunt, Mrs. L. H.
Reed.

Wallace Gleason spent a couple of
days at camp Kunkang, Bangley
Lakes, the guest of Mr. and Mrs.
H. Bangs of Everett.

Mrs. H. T. Roberts was thrown from
her carriage circus day and badly
bruised. The horse became frightened
and succeeded in badly demolishing the
carriage.

Rev. J. G. Fisher entertained the
boys in two of the classes of the Sun-
day school with a picnic on Mt. Zion
last Saturday. Mr. Leon Smith took
them part of the way and they walked
up the mountain. According to all re-
port they had a fine time and plan to
have another picnic soon.

Mr. Albin Austin while moving a
load of hay on the barn flag, ship, a
bringing his foot under the wheel and
spraining it quite badly.

Eight of the ladies of the Ladies
club surprised Mrs. Samuel Swift at
her home on Roxbury avenue Thurs-
day afternoon. The ladies presented
her with a silver souvenir spoon and
a meat fork, and the afternoon was
pleasantly spent in a social way. Be-

CANTON HAPPENINGS.

As Observed and Told By The Citizen Reporter.

Mrs. Georgie Blanchard and daugh-
ter, Mabelle, have been visiting at Weld
and Dixfield.

Miss Letitia Russell has returned to
her duties at Waterville, after spend-
ing her vacation with her parents, Mr.
and Mrs. A. F. Russell and family.

Dr. A. L. Stawood of Rumford Falls
was in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Bliss of Boston
were guests of O. M. Richardson and
family last week.

Miss Abbie Coombs and niece, Irene
Coombs, of Portland are visiting at F.
W. Dodge's.

Fred E. Rowe has sold his farm at
the Point to Adelbert Delano.

Mrs. C. R. Sweet and little daughter,
who have been visiting at Great Falls,
N. H., for a few weeks, have returned
home.

Rev. W. O. Keirstead of New Haven,
Conn., delivered a lecture on "A Pleas-
ure Trip to London," at Gilbert's
Hall Tuesday evening.

Miss Lucy Newman entertained Mr.
Carl Noyes of Portland last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. York visited
relatives at Rumford Falls and Mexico
over Sunday.

Miss Alice O'Brien is ill with typhoid
fever.

Fred and Errol Ellis have returned
from their visit at Howe's Corner.

O. M. Richardson has been appointed
executor of the estate of the late Ed-
ward Tammany.

Mrs. Sarah Tasker of Nashua, N. H.,
has been visiting her brother, Charles
E. Lane of Gilbertville, returning home
Monday.

Arthur L. Newman of Lewiston
visited in town Sunday. Mrs. New-
man and little son, Gerald, are spend-
ing several weeks with her parents,
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lucas, and Mrs.
Georgie Blanchard and family.

Mrs. Wm. McKinnon and children,
who have been visiting at John Man-
well's, have returned to their home in
Georgetown, Mass.

G. F. Towle and C. F. Oldham played
for a dance at the Point Saturday
evening.

Ralph Cushman is reported to be im-
proving some in health.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Harper, J. M.
Fordy, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Russell and
A. Russell and family were in town
Tuesday of last week to attend the
burial service of Mrs. Parnell Russell.

Mrs. Edwin Strout of North Wind-
ham was the guest of her sister, Mrs.
M. B. Packard and family the past
week.

Mrs. A. W. Ellis has been visiting
her sister at Auburn.

Florence and Lucy Newman and
Beatrice Blanchard visited at Liver-
more Falls Friday.

Mrs. Emma McLaughlin of Boston
has been the guest of her brother, E.
G. Dunn, and wife.

Mrs. E. W. Howe of Rumford Falls
called on friends in town Wednesday.
W. H. Wyman of North Abington,
Mass., was in town the first of last
week on business pertaining to the
building of his summer house on Fox
hill.

Mrs. J. P. Sawyer was at Lewiston
the first of the week.

Clifford Fowler of Cambridge, Mass.,
is the guest of Oscar Hayford and
family.

Mr. E. E. Whittamore and son, Leon,
were at East Dixfield during the Sat-
urday.

U. O. Holt, Dr. Richard A. Rice and
Myrtle Holt of Lewiston visited rela-
tives in town Sunday.

Mrs. Wallace Hutchinson visited at
Lewiston Falls last week.

Frank M. Oliver and family, W. B.
Tadden and Walter Arno spent the
Sabbath with P. O. Oldham and family
at East Peru.

freshments of cake and lemonade were
served.

Mr. Ernest Holbrook of Mechanic
Falls has been visiting his sister, Mrs.
Frank A. Herriek.

The food sale at the Congregational
church was a success and the ladies
netted quite a little money. The ladies
intend to hold these sales throughout
the summer and afford people the
chance of purchasing good food at reas-
onable prices.

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ton Lovejoy, a former resident of this
place, called on their father's old
friend, Mr. H. W. Park, one day last
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made from pure roasted grains or
cereals, with Malt, Nuts, etc. Made in
a minute. No tedious wait. You will
surely like it. Sold by the Red Cross
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J. C. Parlin and wife have returned
home.

Ralph Blanchard is visiting his
uncle, Lee Blanchard at East Dixfield.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hadley and Mrs.
Carey and daughter of Boston are
guests at J. O. Robinson's, Hartford.

Mrs. Robert Tillson of Wilton is
visiting at S. C. Jones'.

S. C. Irish, who has been visiting at
F. E. Bicknell's and O. Hayford's, re-
turned to his home in Brockton, Mass.,
Monday morning.

Miss A. B. Merrill returned Monday
morning from a visit with her parents
in Auburn.

Roscoe Lowell has engaged the rent
in C. F. Oldham's house and will soon
move his family.

Mrs. C. O. Holt of Lewiston is visit-
ing her mother, Mrs. A. J. Bicknell and
sister, Abbie C. Bicknell.

Mrs. R. A. Barrows was at Lewiston
Saturday.

Miss Ethel Hutchinson has returned
from a visit in Carthage.

Mrs. Ida Shaw of Buckfield has been
the guest of her sister, Mrs. William
More and family.

Miss Sadie Smith of East Dixfield is
the guest of L. P. Hosley and family.

Bernard Smith and wife of Livermore
Falls were in town Sunday.

W. B. Gilbert was at Ridesville Sun-
day.

Elisha L. Stetson returned to Rum-
ford Falls Monday after spending his
vacation with his parents, L. C. Stetson
and family.

Chas. Barrows, Mand Ellis, Agnes
Merrill, Mary Coburn and Mrs. E. K.
Hollis were at Rumford Falls Friday.

Mrs. A. J. Bicknell, who has been
spending several weeks with her
daughter, Mrs. C. O. Holt of Lewiston,
has returned home.

Miss Amy Putnam and friend, Miss
Ella Lovejoy of West Peru visited
her cousin, James Davis, also Mrs. L.
A. Davis last Saturday.

The Misses Florence and Lucy New-
man are enjoying an outing at Weld.

Miss May Hadley of Cohasset, Mass.,
attended the wedding anniversary of
Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Robinson last
Thursday.

J. E. Forhan went to Rumford Falls
Saturday and drove home a horse which
he purchased at that place early in the
week.

Clark C. Burke has sold his farm to
George H. Strout of Canton Point.

Mr. L. P. Hosley will deliver a lecture
at the Universalist church next Sun-
day evening at 7:30 o'clock. All are
especially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson A. Potter
have extended an invitation to Parnell
Robinson, L. Age to attend their wedding
reception at Hartford Center on Wed-
nesday evening, July 31st.

Mrs. E. L. Dillingham visited rela-
tives in Peru over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Holt of Lewiston
announced the engagement of their
daughter, Grace Myrtle, to Dr. Richard
A. Rice of Boston.

Golden Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. John Oliver Robinson
of Hartford celebrated the fifth an-
niversary of their marriage on Thurs-
day, July 18th. About forty relatives
and friends gathered at their pleasant
home and shared a magnificent repas-
te in the comfortable company. The celebra-
tion was arranged by relatives and was
a complete success in the past and
future. The day was pleasantly spent
in social intercourse, music, etc. A
good dinner was served on the lawn,
with fruit punch, ice cream, fruit and
confectionery. At a late hour the
guests returned to their homes, leaving
many substantial tokens of love and
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6:05 p. m. Sunday, for Lewiston, Por-
tland, and Boston. 10:45 a. m., 4
p. m. week days, and 9:40 a. m. Sun-
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JAMESTOWN TOURS.

Never has there been such a general inquiry for tours to an exposition as to the Tercentennial Exposition which is now being held at Hampton Roads, Norfolk, Virginia. The reason for this is easily explained. It is not for the exhibitions alone that people take excursions, but for the love of travel and a desire to visit the places of interest which the tours afford. It is, therefore, the tour which offers the greatest attractions that is sure to appeal most strongly to the public, and certainly, there is hardly a tour to be had on the American continent affording so much of interest and value for the time and money as a tour to the Jamestown Exposition.

We took a small party to Jamestown in June and during the tour studied to improve if possible the itinerary. As a result a few changes from that itinerary have been made and we believe that in the tours which we are now offering the time is divided at the various places at the best possible advantage and a person taking one of these tours can but feel that the time has been spent in a manner which will not admit of improvement.

From the itinerary it will be noted that such a variety of boat and rail is afforded as to be interesting and restful while the daylight trip down the Potomac and Chesapeake bay is a feature which will add much to the tour. Should any desire they may return from Norfolk to Washington by rail without extra expense providing they state their desire to do so several days in advance of the starting date. A rail trip in return via Richmond and Fredericksburg may be had at an additional expense of \$1.50. Also a side trip to Gettysburg will be arranged for any who may desire it. Last, but not least, I am pleased to announce as an additional feature and one which adds in no small way to the interest and value of the tour, a daylight sail up the Hudson river.

DATES.
Parties will leave Portland and Boston on Sept. 4, Oct. 9, and Nov. 12; the schedule for the two later trips to be the same as given herewith for the Sept. 4 one, except that the November tour cannot include the Hudson river trip as the day route is taken off Oct. 19.

COST OF TOUR.
The cost of the tour will be fifty dollars (\$50.00) from Portland, or forty-six (\$46.00) from Boston. This price is based on two persons in a room at hotels and on steamboats. Should any desire a room alone it will be necessary to add \$6.00 to these prices. This includes railroad and steamboat fares; staterooms on all steamers; automobile transfers to and from hotel in Washington; hotels in New York, Washington and Norfolk; admissions to the exposition and all meals except those marked (a la carte) in the itinerary. Experience has taught us that it is more satisfactory not to include meals on steamers, etc., that are furnished (a la carte). Most people want only a light meal on the water and prefer to order to their liking. Hence we deduct what those meals would cost and incidentally save something to our patrons.

The only expense not included is for meals referred to and electric fares at the various points.

RESERVATION.
Owing to the large amount of travel anticipated by the steamship lines they require reservations several weeks in advance. Hence it will be necessary for any desiring to take this tour to register as soon as possible. A registration blank is contained herein; if you desire to take the tour please fill this out and send to me as soon as convenient. Should you find it impossible to go, the registration fee will be returned. I cannot emphasize too strongly the necessity of early registration. I can do much better for my people if I can have their registration early. The steamship lines are rushed with business and independent, and in order to get satisfactory accommodations, we are obliged to come to their requirements. So kindly write me early and I will assure you good service and a delightful trip.

ITINERARY.
Wednesday, Sept. 4.—Leave Union Station, Portland, over the Eastern Division of the Boston and Maine at 1:35 p. m. Arrive in Boston at 4:10 p. m. Supper in South Station dining room, take the elevator. Leave Boston at 6 p. m. in special cars, connecting at Fall River with Fall River line of steamers for New York. Stateroom keys received on train.

Thursday, Sept. 5.—Arrive in New York at 7:30 a. m. The approach to New York is from Long Island Sound through Hell Gate up the East River, passing Blackwell's Island and under the Brooklyn and Williamsburg suspension bridges, around the Battery, in full sight of the Statue of Liberty, and up the North River to Pier 19. The approach of New York Harbor affords a scene never to be forgotten. Upon arrival the party will be transferred at once by special ferry to Jersey City, N. J., where special cars will be taken at 8:12 over the Baltimore and Ohio Railway for Washington. Breakfast in

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Thursday afternoon, Friday and Saturday in Washington. These days will be brim full of sight-seeing. The party will be taken to the Capitol, Congressional Library, White House, Washington Monument, Corcoran Art Gallery, National Museum, Smithsonian Institute and other places of interest. Side trips to Mt. Vernon, Alexandria, Arlington, etc., at special rates for any who may desire them, also an automobile tour of the city may be had at a moderate price.

Sunday, Sept. 8.—Leave Washington at 8 a. m. for a delightful daylight sail down the Potomac and Chesapeake bay. This is one of the most charming features of the tour, and whoever enjoys this sail will ever recall it with almost an irresistible longing to see it again. Down the Potomac through the Chesapeake bay, to the sea, every mile of the journey is past scenes closely identified with the birth, growth, and struggles of a mighty nation. In the luxury of modern travel nothing can surpass the service of the Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Co. between Washington, Fortress Monroe, Newport News and Norfolk. The steamer will touch at Old Point Comfort at 5:30 p. m. and will pass through the fleet of warships on Hampton Roads, through the waters on which occurred the battle between the Monitor and Merrimack, and land at the Exposition grounds at 7 p. m. Dinner and supper on boat (a la carte).

Monday, Sept. 9 and Tuesday, Sept. 10 at the Exposition. Headquarters at Inside Inn. In the Jamestown Exposition, nature and man have combined to create a territory supremely attractive. The grounds cover an area of 100 acres of water space between the Grand Piers. One feature of the Exposition is the grandest naval display that the world has ever seen. This is participated in by all nations and will be worth the price of the trip. Never before has an exposition been so happily located, and of all the buildings our hotel occupies the most ideal spot. Its hundreds of feet of broad piazzas on the very shore of Hampton Roads afford an excellent place to pass an hour after spending a day on the Exposition grounds. Tuesday night leave Norfolk at 5:45 by Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Company for Washington. Supper on boat (a la carte).

Wednesday, Sept. 11.—Arrive in Washington at 8 a. m. Breakfast on boat (a la carte). Transfer by automobile to B. & O. station. Leave Washington at 9 a. m. Arrive in New York at 2 p. m. Lunch in dining car (a la carte). Headquarters in New York at Broadway Central Hotel, American plan. Opportunity may be afforded any who may desire to stop at Philadelphia. Our train arrives there at 11:50 and another leaves for New York at 4:10. Hence the party may have about five hours in Philadelphia if they prefer the time there rather than in New York. In New York opportunity for delightful automobile trip through Central Park to Morning Side Heights, Grant's tomb, and the numerous residences along New York's famous Millionaire Row. Time will also be afforded any who may have a desire to visit any of New York's mammoth stores, and also for a trip to Coney Island and other sea shore resorts in New York Bay.

Thursday, Sept. 12.—Leave New York at 8:40 a. m. from Desbrosses St.

Pier via the Hudson River Day Line for that most popular, charming and ever-to-be-remembered sail up the Hudson river to Albany. The sail up the Hudson is world famous and is considered the most beautiful inland water trip on the American continent. Dinner and supper on the boat (a la carte). Arrive in Albany at 6:10 p. m. 4 hours will be spent in this Capital of the Empire State, affording an opportunity of visiting the Capitol, said to be the finest capitol building in the Union. Also opportunity for an automobile tour of the city. Take sleepers for Boston at 11 p. m.

Friday, Sept. 13.—Arrive in Boston at 7 a. m. Breakfast at North Station dining room. Leave Boston at 9:20 a. m. Arrive in Portland at 12:05 p. m.

NOTE.
Should any desire to return to Boston direct and not take the Hudson river feature and hence leave the party in New York Thursday morning, the cost will be \$45.00.

STOP OVERTS.
All tickets used on this tour will be good for 30 days, and all who desire to spend a longer time at Jamestown, Washington, Philadelphia, New York, Boston or any other stop over points, may do so within the limit of the ticket.

BAGGAGE.
I would suggest to all the desirability of confining their baggage to dress suit cases; the time is short and any trunks or other baggage which cannot be handled easily enroute will be a source of annoyance to the owners.

I shall be very glad to answer any questions concerning the September tour or any of those that are to follow, and to this end address
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LOCKE MILLS.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Penley and son drove to West Paris Saturday and visited relatives.

Mrs. John Marshall and little daughter of West Paris are entertaining friends from Portland at camp Echo. Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Tehbirt are spending the week in Bethel.

Guy Coffin of Mechanic Falls spent Sunday here.

Miss Celia Estes of Massachusetts is the guest of Miss Rena George.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Grant and son have returned from Underwood Springs where they enjoyed a week's outing.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Bryant went to Berlin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Swan and children attended the circus at Bethel Saturday.

Mr. Henry Cummings and family of Auburn are enjoying an outing at Davis camp.

NEWRY.
Mrs. Lucretia Bartlett has returned to her home on Sunday river.

Mrs. Pricilla Foster is visiting at W. D. Kilgore's a few days.

Quite a number of people from this place attended the circus at Bethel last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Douglass from Lakeside, N. H., called at A. H. Powers' last Saturday.

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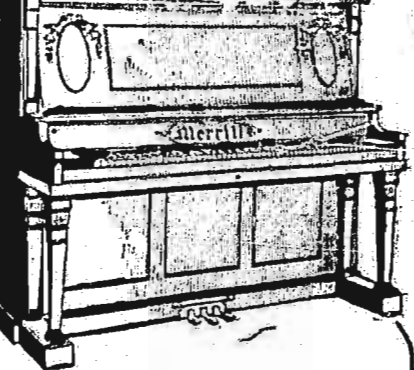
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RUMFORD FALLS,	9:40 "	1.00
SO. RANGELEY, Arrive,	11:00 "	—
RANGELEY (Sta.) "	11:40 "	—
OQUOSSOC, "	11:55 "	—

Returning, leave Rangeley (Sta.) 2:40 p. m., Oquossoc 3:35 p. m., So. Rangeley 4:40 p. m., arriving Rumford Falls 5:00 p. m.

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OBITUARY.

Many of the older residents will be grieved to learn of the death of Mr. Olin B. Saunders, on July 9th, after a lingering illness of twelve weeks, at the family residence, 3229 Colfax avenue, South Minneapolis.

Mr. Saunders was born at Hanover, Me., March 11th, 1843. His father died when he was two and his mother when he was twelve years old. His mother's death was a very great grief to him and in all his after life, his sensitive nature clung to the loving remembrance of the one who had, during his youth, filled his life with love and tenderness.

He was educated at the academy at Kent's Hill, Me. In 1871 he married Ellenora J. Marden of Chester, N. H., and they afterwards lived in Pembroke, N. H. They had three children of whom Percy S. is the only one living. In 1880 they moved to Granite Falls, Minn. Mr. Saunders' ability as an educator was soon recognized and he was elected county superintendent of schools, in which capacity he served a number of years and left the impress of his intellectuality, his high ideals, his noble manhood and his unimpeachable character upon the schools and through them; upon the young people of the county, and many a young man and woman who came under the influence he exerted, owe the best there is in them to this man who was always on the side of right.

In 1890, the family moved to Minneapolis that the son might have better educational advantages, and since that time Mr. Saunders has been connected with the postoffice department of that city, where he was held in the highest esteem, as he was in every community in which he ever lived.

The funeral services were held at the home and were attended by a host of loving friends, who showed their high esteem by many beautiful floral offerings. The services were conducted by the Rev. Edward C. Mitchell of St. Paul. His remarks were touching, impressive and hopeful. He was followed by Mrs. Deila Whitney Norton in words of hope and a blessed life beyond. Mr. Saunders was very fond of music and some of his favorite pieces were exquisitely rendered by a male quartette, Lead Kindly Light, Plains of Peace, Still, Still with Thee, and Nearer my God to Thee. As a conclusion, Dr. Mitchell read the beautiful poem of Sir Edwin Arnold, "After Death in Arabia," which was a great favorite with Mr. Saunders.

A beautiful life with its fragrant influence for good has been closed on earth, but the spiritual existence has but just begun in a heavenly world.

H. A. H.

A NOVEL BY A LOCAL AUTHOR.

"T. Thorndyke, Attorney," is the title of a novel by Herbert I. Goss of Berlin, N. H. A copy has been received by the writer and read with more than ordinary interest.

The story is essentially local in character, and introduces local types, as well as real personages now living in that section. In fact all the characters are taken from real life, and some are given their own names in the narrative.

The story mixes up business, law, pleasure, excursions, love, history, theology and geology, and yet the interest in every part is kept to a high pitch.

The story introduces Theophilus Thorndyke, a young lawyer who loses his first case and falls in love with the daughter of the "judge" who rendered decision against him. The progress of the courtship is very naturally and interestingly told, and the love incidents appear in nearly every chapter of the story. Yet that is subordinate to the main feature of the story, which is to preserve in print the many stories and character sketches of a purely local nature.

Incidentally the author shows that he has reflected long and thought deeply upon the great life problems that have engaged the attention of mankind from earliest times. He shows subtle skill in introducing some philosophical ideas in connection with a chapter devoted chiefly to love making.

The startling results of tracing original relationships, by ancestral descent, awakens a few thoughts in the mind of the reader, and then the deity introduced theory of theosophy sends the mind back over the line of life by leaps of thousands of years at a jump. Like all writers upon such subjects, the author of "T. Thorndyke, Attorney," leaves the reader to find his own way out of the maze.

The chapter upon the White Mountains is probably the best geological and descriptive account of that remarkable chain of mountains that has ever been printed, and will serve as a guide for visitors to that section.

The author delves into the deity problem in an unorthodox, although strong theistic style. It is the author's view that the existence of a Supreme Being can be proven without recourse to revelation, and much to the surprise of the theologians, his first witnesses are the great anti-theistic writers of the world. He quotes at length from Paine, and cites Voltaire

and Ingersoll to prove that every man believes in the existence of a Supreme Being. His line of argument will oppose to him both the orthodox and the rationalist, and create supporters among the Orientals and metaphysical philosophers.

This chapter is the nineteenth in the book, and while it may be passed over without making a break in the story, it is unusual enough in its line of reasoning to be worthy the attention of students.

The author creates an interview between Man and the "Great Voice." After making it plain to the man that neither the great Manitou, Jehovah, Zeus, Jupiter, Woden, or the Moslem Allah, is the Supreme Being, but that they all have emanated from the great original source of power, that "is now, always was, and always will be," he passes on to an analytical discussion of the problem.

This sentence taken from the answer of the voice, to the request of the man to be allowed the privilege of remaining in the perfection of the heights whereon he was then situated, will give a hint to the thought of the author. "Back to the earth, to humanity with its grossness and its sins, its struggles and its victories, thou must go."

"T. Thorndyke, Attorney," has a great local interest, but is also a book that should make a national conquest. The writer has the pleasure of the personal acquaintance of Mr. Goss, and while differing with his conclusions, both in the book and out, is pleased to say that his book is a credit to the author and worth reading, for either the story or the philosophy that it contains.

M. A. B.

THE OFFICER OUTCLASSED.

Saturday night a scrap occurred on River street. Special policeman Gandrows and officer Roach arrested the man. On the way to the station Gandrows' man asked, as a favor, to be cased up on a little, saying he would make no trouble. The officer complied and released his hold on the prisoner; but the fellow no sooner felt the officer's grip loosen than he made a dash for liberty, and so far as that night was concerned he secured it. Those who saw the man make his way across the bridge and up into the woods, with the officer in hot pursuit, but losing ground at every step, realized that, as a sprinter, the officer was out classed.

A watch was kept up all night and about 4 o'clock the escaped prisoner was seen creeping out of the woods and officer Gandrows pounced upon him like a cat upon a rat. With the assistance of officer Roach he was safely landed in the lockup. Monday morning both men were before Judge Stearns and found: the first, \$3 and costs; the second was assessed \$3 extra for the privilege he enjoyed of sleeping in the woods.

OF INTEREST TO ORCHARDISTS.

Prof. E. F. Hitchings, state entomologist, has discovered a new means of fighting the apple tree borer, one of the most dreaded pests known to fruit raisers in Maine. At the commencement of this season's work for the extermination of the gypsy moth, bands of burlap were placed about trees to catch the moths. During the past week most of these have been removed and when the insects thus caught were examined it was learned that burlap was fully as effective in catching the borers as in catching moths.

The entomological department is preparing a bulletin instructing apple raisers as to the most advantageous use of burlap for this purpose. The efforts to exterminate the gypsy moth have been very successful and it is thought that in another season the pest will be eliminated from Maine trees.

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The Misses Vaillancourt are sisters, and the daughters of Mr. Frank Vaillancourt, a well known resident of Rumford Falls.

David Boucher and Miss Mariana Vaillancourt stood up with the first couple, and Euger Vaillancourt and Miss Delphine Dubois with the second. After a wedding breakfast and reception of congratulations, the bridal party sought Rich's photographic studio and had their pictures taken.

In the evening, at the home of the brides' parents, 519 Waldo street, a wedding reception was held, at which the joy of the occasion was abundantly manifest. It was a happy gathering and the young couples entertained scores of friends, whose good wishes were received with reciprocal good cheer.

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As has been the custom for several years there will be but two speakers. In the morning at 11 o'clock the Rev. E. A. Hoyt will preach the sermon and in the afternoon Rev. O. H. Perkins will address the congregation. The state superintendent will preside.

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HEAVY LOSS BY STORM.

Many Maine Buildings Burned by Lightning Last Saturday.

The terrific thunder storm which passed over Bethel last Saturday as reported in another column, was equally severe in many other portions of Maine and caused very much damage by fire. It is reported in various places as one of the most severe electrical storms for years. It was especially heavy at Hebron, Poland, Mechanic Falls, East Livermore, Farmington and Phillips, in all of these cases property losses being reported.

The buildings of the late Z. J. Frank in Poland were completely destroyed. The fire started in the barn and spread to the house. A henhouse was burned, all of the hens perishing, also farming tools and several tons of hay. The loss is placed at about \$4,000; insurance, \$2,000.

The Charles Y. Tenney set of buildings at Mechanic Falls were struck and quickly enveloped in flames. Most of the live stock was saved. Hay, farming tools and most of the household furnishings were burned. The loss is estimated at \$5,000; insurance, \$3,400.

At Hebron two barns, shed and carriage house owned by the well known apple buyer, S. J. Whittemore, were burned by lightning. 40 tons of hay with machinery and farming tools were burned. A number of carriages in the carriage house were saved. The buildings were partially insured. The loss is estimated at about \$3,000.

At East Livermore the set of buildings owned and occupied by Cyrus Edgecomb were burned to the ground. Twelve tons of hay and a large amount of dry wood, also several pigs and a lot of hens and chickens were burned. Part of the farming utensils and household furnishings were saved. The loss is estimated at \$4,000; insurance, \$1,000.

The barn and shed at Allen's Mills, owned by Charles Farbach of Farmington were struck by lightning and destroyed. The farming tools and fifteen tons of hay in the barn were burned, also three pigs and two calves. The shed contained carriages, wood and other articles which were burned also. The storm was terrific at Phillips. The hail storm which followed the rain is thought to have done considerable damage to fruit trees.

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BRYANT'S POND.
Rev. S. G. Davis of Norway preached at the Universalist church last Sunday, taking the place of Rev. Mr. Shum, who was unable to come.

Mrs. Eva Bryant has been quite sick the past week. Dr. Wheeler is attending her.

Walter Small and wife passed Sunday with Mrs. B. K. Dunham.

Hunt's circus gave a good show here Friday. The attendance was small.

The cottages are all filled with summer people, and quite a few are staying at Ricker's boarding house.

Last week was a perfect week for hay and about every farmer in this section stored a lot of hay in fine condition.

S. B. Estes has moved back to his farm from Norway.

M. J. Billings has exchanged farms with Charles McGinnis.

H. M. Estes, who was recently injured on a bridge near Montreal, is out again but not able to take charge of his job yet.

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Fred Abbott is staying in Sumner.
Mrs. Abbott is visiting her sister at
South Paris.

Charlie Barker is visiting friends in
town.

Henry Barker is staying with his
brother, Eugene Barker.

Mr. and Mrs. Bristol came from the
ball game to visit at Leslie Moody's.

Quite a number from here attended the
ball game at Hanover Saturday.

They have a fine baby boy at George
Cole's.

Gerald Marston is working at S. L.
Moody's.

Charles Farham, Granville Thurston
and Gilman Bask are cutting the hay
on the Walker place.

"Friday the 13th," begins
Thursday the 1st. Watch for it.

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